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TAGS: ECOSOC, EGEN, PORG, XF, IS

SUBJECT: 63RD ECOSOC: AGENDA ITEM 23: REAFFIRMATION OF  
RESOLUTION 2026 ON ASSISTANCE TO PALESTINIAN PEOPLE

REFERENCES: A) STATE 161213 B) GENEVA 5854

1. DELEGATION SHOULD VOTE AGAINST ANY RESOLUTION WHICH,  
AS ANTICIPATED REFTTEL B, GOES BEYOND SIMPLY NOTING REPORT  
ON IMPLEMENTATION OF RESOLUTION 2026. ANY RESOLUTION WHICH  
CALLS FOR INTENSIFIED IMPLEMENTATION OF 2026, OR REITERATES  
THAT RESOLUTION'S INSTRUCTIONS TO UN AGENCIES TO COOPERATE  
WITH THE PLO AS "THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE PALESTINIAN  
PEOPLE" IS UNACCEPTABLE.

2. DELEGATION SHOULD EXPLAIN U.S. VOTE DRAWING ON FOLLOW-  
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ING: "THE UNITED STATES HAS SUPPORTED AND CONTINUES TO  
SUPPORT ASSISTANCE TO IMPROVE THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL WELL-  
BEING OF THE PALESTINIAN PEOPLE. OUR LONG-STANDING SUPPORT  
OF UNRWA TESTIFIES TO THE DEPTH AND SINCERITY OF OUR CONCERN  
FOR THE PALESTINIANS' HUMANITARIAN NEEDS. LAST YEAR WE  
VOTED AGAINST RESOLUTION 2026 BECAUSE IT INTRODUCED EX-  
TRANEOUS POLITICAL ISSUES, AND THE SAME REASON HAS IMPELLED

US TO VOTE NO ONCE AGAIN. THE QUESTION OF THE POLITICAL  
INTERESTS AND ASPIRATIONS OF THE PALESTINIAN PEOPLE IS

CENTRAL TO ANY MIDDLE EAST SETTLEMENT, BUT IT IS A  
QUESTION ENTIRELY OUTSIDE THE CONCERNS OF ECOSOC."

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